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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

On June 3, 2005, Applicants mailed the following documents to the USPTO by Express Mail (attached as Exhibit 1):

1. Transmittal Letter (2 pages)
2. Patent Application (9 pages of specification, 3 pages of claims, 5 sheets of drawings)
3. Form PCT/ISA/220 (1 page)
4. Form PCT/IB/308 (1 page)
5. Check for \$1000.00 (1 page)
6. Return Receipt Postcard (1 page)

A Notice of Abandonment was then mailed on September 26, 2008 (Exhibit 2) indicating that the above-identified patent application had gone abandoned. However, Applicants never received a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements that was apparently mailed on January 22, 2008. A copy of a Declaration by Elsie Williams attesting to this fact is attached as Exhibit 3.

Applicants therefore believe that the abandonment for the above-identified patent application should be withdrawn because the Notification of Missing Requirements was never received. Applicants also request that a new period of reply be set for responding to the

Notification.

Applicants believes that there is no fee required with this communication.
However, if any fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of
any fees relating to this communication to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

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